

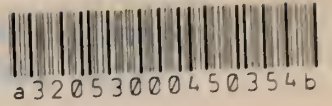



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# *Sojourn '56*

*Norton High School  
Norton, Massachusetts*

*Published by the  
Class of 1956*

*Advisor: Grace B. Kiernan*

*Dedicated  
to*



CHARLES S. RANDALL

We, the class of 1956, dedicate our year-book "THE SOJOURN" to Mr. Charles S. Randall, our principal and our friend.

In this way we hope to show him our appreciation for his open mind and fair decisions in regard to our many problems throughout our high school years.

All of us wish him the best of luck in everything he does.

A sincere "thank you" from the class of '56."

## *Superintendent's Message*

I urge members of your class in making plans for the future to think carefully of entering the teaching profession. This field will have many opportunities. It has been estimated that in the next ten years, there will be need for more new teachers than in the last thirty-five years. Teaching is the oldest profession; great teachers of the past have received outstanding recognition. Teaching was the first means by which civilized man perpetuated what he had learned and so raised the level of each generation.

The financial reward in teaching is now good, and is steadily improving as society is recognizing the importance of education. Teaching is no easy task. It is a challenge to the most capable. I hope many in the class will accept the challenge.

"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops." - Henry Brooks Adams

Laurence G. Nourse



## *Principal's Message*

You, the class of 1956, are undertaking your last major project; and as you grow older, your thoughts will mellow and this book will become a source of enjoyment.

Your assistance in school events has aided your social education; but the greatest self help has come from the effort given to your daily class preparations. This becomes a partial preparation for life and should make you ready to meet future problems.

Many positions are being created so that all may obtain work advancements by being able to think things through. There are electronics for those interested in mathematics and science; and there is the Civil Service, too, which in many cases, will help you adapt to your future station in life.

The school officials and the faculty wish you success. Let the willingness to work, guide you to your future employment.

Charles S. Randall



## *In Appreciation*



MRS. JEAN FINDLATER

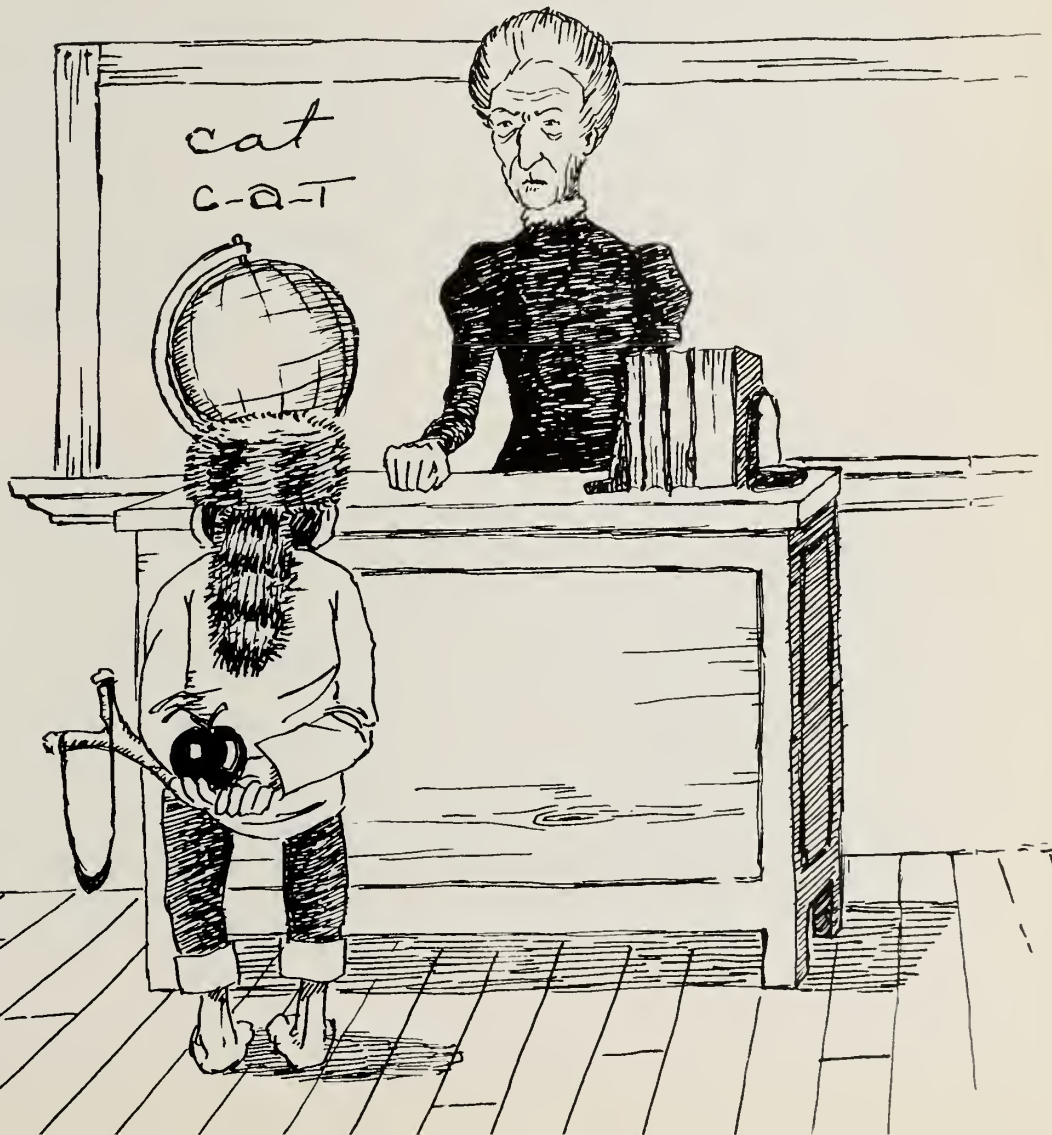


MR. HENRI YELLE

To Mrs. Jean Findlater, we the class of "56" wish to express our appreciation for your understanding guidance of us as individuals and as a class, throughout our school years. We shall think of you often in the future.

A warm "thank you" to Mr. Henri Yelle from the class of "56." Your "talks" and kindly advice have helped us over many a hurdle, particularly those hurdles we o'er leaped our Senior Year.

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## *Sojourn Through Half a Century*

Fifty years have passed until now,

Since Norton High School first made it's bow.

Its spirit and its educational way,

Have improved constantly to the present day.

As onward and outward we start to climb,

We face the near future with an open mind.

We will always remember you for your start;

There will always be a place for you in our heart.

The things you've taught, which have made us think,

Will appear in life as an important link.

Now, as we leave for our journey into the unknown,

We will remember our school as our former home.

In fifty more years, familiar faces again will change,

But the spirit of Norton High School will still remain.

In the hearts of us it will always lie,

Until man can reach beyond the sky.

# SENIORS





### *Class Officers*

ROGER BOUCHER, Treasurer; NANCY PHILLIPS, Secretary; MARJORIE HALL, President;  
ROSE GORMAN, Vice President.

BEVERLY A. BILODEAU

"Friendly and gay, the livelong day."

Exchange Student 4; Senior Play Prompter 4;  
Yearbook Photography 4; Star Staff 4; Latin  
Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 2, 3, Secretary-  
Treasurer; French Club 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1, 2;  
Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Math  
Club 4.



ROGER BOUCHER

"Happy-go-lucky, joyous, and free  
Nothing there is that bothers me."

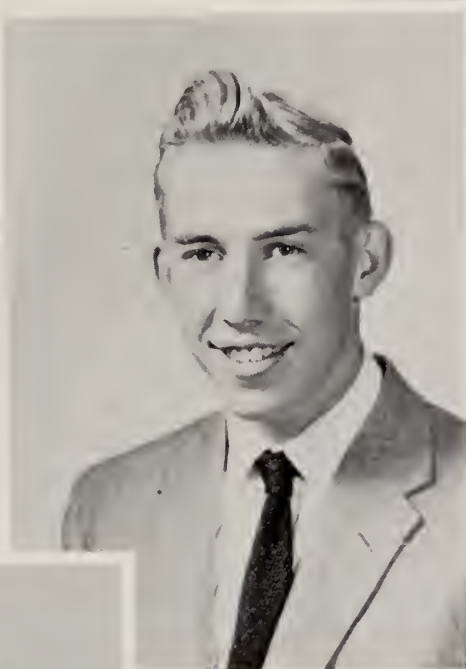
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Council 4; Yearbook Production Staff 4; Camera  
Club 2; Dramatic Club 2; Bowling Club 2; Assemblies  
2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Senior Monitor 4; Sport Club  
4; Junior Usher 3.



THOMAS BRYANT

"Those men who are com-  
mended by everybody,  
must be very extraordinary  
men."

President 1, 2, 3; Student  
Council 1, 2, 3; Vice Presi-  
dent 4; Yearbook 4; Parrot  
Staff 4; Camera Club 1;  
Dramatic Club 1; Baseball  
1, 2, 3, Captain 4; Bowling  
Club 1, 2; Assemblies 1, 2,  
3, 4; Sports Club 4; Rep.  
Student Government Day  
4; Junior Usher 3, Secre-  
tary-Treasurer.



JOHN BUTLER

"If he didn't have that twinkle in his eye, you could  
probably call him bashful."

Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Yearbook Pro-  
duction Staff 4; Assemblies 4; Baseball 2; Sport Club  
4.



ALBERT W. CHAMILLARD

"Someday the world will need a man, I wait."  
Senior Play Candy Comm. 4; Assemblies 3, 4.



GEORGE W. CHAMILLARD

"In a quiet way, he finds  
success."  
Senior Play 4; Assemblies  
3, 4; Sports Club 4.

DOROTHY J. COURCHINE

"Her size hinders her not,  
A friendship like hers cannot be bought."  
Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Angel Chorus 1, 2, 3; What's What For Teens 3, 4;  
Refreshments 3, 4; Star Staff 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Yearbook Staff 4.



RICHARD H. FARRIS

"He played the game and played it well."

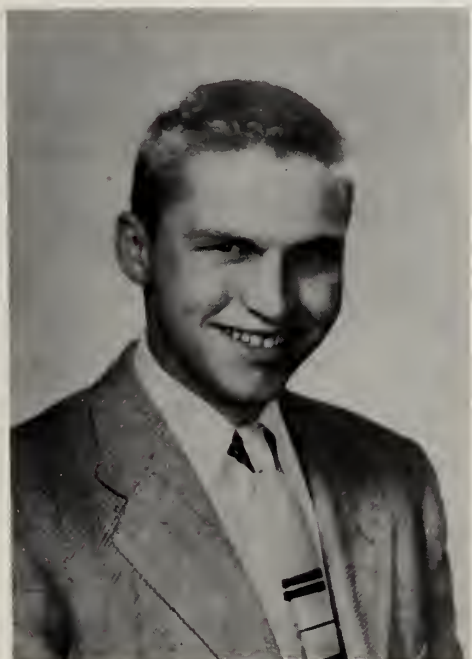
Senior Play Cast 4; Parrot Staff 4; Bowling League 2;  
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Monitor 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3,  
Captain 4; Basketball 1, Captain, 2, 3, 4; Sports  
Club 4.



FRANCIS J. FRASER

"To know him is to like  
him."

Glee Club 3; Assemblies  
4; Exchange Student 4;  
Sports Club 4.



DAVID A. FREEMAN

"A little nonsense now and then  
Is relished by the best of men."

Senior Play Cast 4; Glee Club 3; Baseball 3, 4; Sports  
Club 4; Basketball 4.



CYNTHIA R. GAY

"Dance, laugh, and be merry."

Student Council 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Yearbook Associate Editor 4; Star Staff 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 1, 2, 3; Bowling League 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Angel Chorus 1, 2, 3; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Usher 3; Nursing Club 4.



JOAN G. GEFIS

"A quiet little maiden, with a quiet little way."

Yearbook Staff 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Angel Chorus 2, 3, 4; Star Staff 4; Art Editor; What's For Teens 3; Senior Play Committee 4.



ROSE E. GORMAN

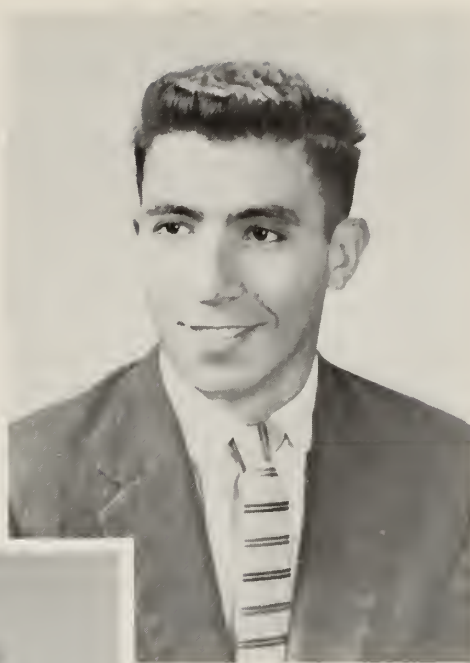
"Congenial at heart, and born to be a friend."

Vice President 4; French Club 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; What's What For Teens 3, 4; Angel Chorus 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 3, 4; Exchange Student 4.

NOE F. GOUVEIA

"I am the captain of my soul"

Exchange Student 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Senior Monitor 4; Assemblies 3, 4.



MARJORIE M. HALL

"Accomplishments were native to her mind."

President 4; Secretary 1; Student Council 1, 4, President; Senior Play Cast 4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Star Staff 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Scribe; French Club Secretary 3; Dramatic Club 1; Bowling League 2, 3; What's What for Teens 3, 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Usher 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4.



DONNA L. HERSEY

"No tower retards thy course."

Senior Play Cast 4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Star Staff 4, Associate Editor; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, Scribe 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Bowling League 1, 2; Orchestra 2, 4; Basketball 3.



CAROL ANN JACKSON

"She's cute, she's sweet, she's so petite."

Treasurer 1; Student Council 4; Yearbook Staff 4;  
Senior Play Property Manager 4; Star Staff 4; Junior  
Usher 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 1, 2; Ex-  
change Student 4; Cheerleader 3, 4, Head Cheer-  
leader 4; What's What For Teens 3, Treasurer 4;  
President; Refreshments 4.



NANCY L. LEONARD

"Her talents were of the  
more silent class."

Yearbook Staff 4; Glee  
Club 1, 2, 3, 4; What's  
What For Teens 4, Vice  
President.

PAULA R. MAIGRET

"I hurry not; neither do I worry."

Yearbook Staff 4; Star Staff 4; What's What For Teens  
3, 4; Junior Usher 3; Latin Club 2, 3; Assemblies 2,  
French Club 2; Camera Club 2; Angel Chorus 2, 3.



WARREN A. MARSHALL

"Often seen, but not often heard."

Senior Monitor 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4;  
Bowling League 1.



RONALD H. MENDLER

"Life is but a song."

Senior Play Committee 4;  
Student Monitor 1, 2;  
Assemblies 1, 2, 4; Base-  
ball 1, 2; Football 1, 2;  
Basketball 1; Glee Club 1.



MARION C. MINGO

"While we live, let us enjoy ourselves."

Senior Play Committee 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Parrot  
Staff 4; What's What For Teens 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2,  
3, 4; Angel Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.



NANCY PHILLIPS

"A brilliant mind, never proud,  
Popular in every crowd."

Secretary 2, 4; Bowling 1, 2; Star Staff 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1; Senior Play Prompter 4; Student Council 2, Treasurer, Secretary, Nursing Club 4; Junior Usher 3; What's What For Teens 3; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, Scribe 3, Second Consul 4, First Consul; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Editor 4.



GEORGE A. POUDRIER

"Tomorrow is coming -  
why hurry?"

Yearbook Business Manager 4; Star Staff 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Math Club 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1.



LAURENCE RUBIN

"Follow me and thou shalt not lack amusement."

Treasurer 3, Star Staff 4; Yearbook Business Manager 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Usher 3; Exchange Student 4; Assemblies 2, 3, 4; Senior Monitor 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Baseball 1.

WILLIAM SHAW

"A gentleman makes no noise."

Senior Play Stage Manager 4; Sport Club 4, Assemblies 2, 3, 4; Bowling League 1, 2.



SARA W. THOMAS

"Not very tall, not very small, but sweet and fair and liked by all."

Yearbook Associate Editor 4; Star Staff Editor 4; Student Council 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Nursing Club 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; What's What For Teens; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Angel Chorus 3, 4.



ARLENE A. ZWOLENSKY

"Always with an eye for fun."

Yearbook Staff 4; Star Business Manager 4; Senior Play Cast 4; What's What For Teens 3, 4; Assemblies 1, 2, 3, 4; Exchange Student 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Angel Chorus 1, 2; Cheerleader 4; Senior Ticket Play Committee 4, Refreshment Committee 3, 4.

## *Class History*



We started our journey westward where we encountered many dangers. Our journey took four years. As our leaders for the first year, we chose: Thomas Bryant, President; Salvatore Amaral, Vice President Marjorie Hall, Secretary; and Roger Boucher, Treasurer.

On our trip, it was necessary to raise money for our supplies. We held a dance and from it netted a profitable sum.

We started our second year's journey by choosing new leaders: Thomas Bryant, President; Nancy Hallahan, Vice President; Nancy Phillips, Secretary; and Joanne May, Treasurer.

By this time, we were further west and we needed more funds. We decided to have a supper; and then later we held a Valentine dance, "Cupid's Whirl."

At the beginning of our third year, we had succeeded in nearing our destination but our money problems increased. For our leaders, we elected: Thomas Bryant, President; Roger Boucher, Vice President; Wilma Randall, Secretary; and Lawrence Rubin, Treasurer.

That year, we were crossing the Rocky Mountains and so we needed more funds and more provisions. We started the year with a supper; and within a month, we had a dance. We sold donuts to cover expenses for our transportation.

Still later, we held another dance to help defray our costs. Along the way, we suffered many casualties, but finally we managed to cross the mountains. When we were a short distance from our destination, we held a bigger affair, our Junior Prom.

The fourth year of our voyage was our busiest. We chose: Marjorie Hall, President; Rose Gorman, Vice President; Nancy Phillips, Secretary; Roger Boucher, Treasurer.

As we approached our goal, we needed more money. We were in a new territory and wanted to get acquainted with the people. The best way we could think of was to have a big event and share the profits. The people liked us and urged us to produce a play. This event was very successful, but we still needed funds and so we had another dance and sold Christmas cards.

Now, our journey has ended. Through our joys and struggles, we've at last reached our western goal, that "Golden Gate" of Graduation.



## *The Class Will*

We, the members of the 1956 graduating class of Norton High School being of sound mind, do hereby bequeath our most treasured possessions to the unseasoned under classmen.

THE SENIOR CLASS leaves the Christmas Pageant to the Freshman Class.  
To the Sophomore Class we leave our most carefree moments.  
We leave the Junior Class with the hope that they will have as memorable a senior year as we have had.

BEVERLY BILODEAU leaves her "A's" in Math to Joan Rand.  
ROGER BOUCHER leaves his blush to John Crowe.  
TOM BRYANT leaves his easy-going ways to Harvey Walker.  
JOHN BUTLER leaves his plaid shirts to Bob Eddleston.  
AL CHAMILLARD leaves his erratic driving to Dale Clark.  
GEORGE CHAMILLARD leaves his 'Teddy' boots to Ralph Kenniston.  
DOTTIE COURCHINE leaves her giggle to Sandy White.  
DICK FARRIS leaves his beard to Ed Hallahan.  
FRANK FRASER leaves his size to Bob Harrison.  
DAVE FREEMAN leaves the hot pipes on his Olds to Jim Tierney.  
CINNIE GAY leaves her hill-billy shoes to Janice Massie.  
JOAN GEFIS leaves her dimples to Gail Henlin.  
ROSE GORMAN leaves her roller-skating ability to Barbara Fitzgerald.  
NOE GOUVEIA leaves his Continental Style to Luther Carter.  
MIDGE HALL leaves her busy schedule to someone who doesn't want much sleep.  
DONNA HERSEY leaves her egg-salad sandwiches to Mr. Kelley.  
CAROL JACKSON leaves her more-bounce-to-the-ounce to Ann Skolnik.  
NANCY LEONARD leaves her quietness to Marilyn Martin.  
PAULA MAIGRET leaves her blond streak to Kay Sullivan.  
WARREN MARSHALL leaves his cast to Pat O'Brian.  
RONNIE MENDLER leaves Mr. Killis' room in a cloud of smoke.  
MARION MINGO leaves her blond page-boy to Mary Jane Whitney.  
NANCY PHILLIPS leaves her coy look to her sister, Joan.  
GEORGE POUDRIER leaves 'The Mystery of the Missing Mackerel' to Doug Weilding.  
LARRY RUBIN leaves his drive to school from East Hodges Street to David Honey.  
BILL SHAW leaves his deep voice to Jackie Quebman.  
SARA THOMAS leaves her big blue eyes to Judy Jenks.  
ARLENE ZWOLENSKI leaves those Office-Practice blues to Sally Rand.

## *Class Trip*

At 8:05 A. M. on Sunday the 19th of February, a train made a special stop at Attleboro, where twenty-six happy seniors and their three chaperons were eagerly waiting. We rode to New York, and then changed trains for Baltimore. When we arrived there, we boarded the steamer which was to take us on an overnight sail down to Norfolk, Virginia. The next day, we toured Norfolk, Williamsburg, Jamestown, and Yorktown. We again boarded the steamer for the return trip to Baltimore. On Tuesday, we met Cliff, our wonderful bus driver. He showed us the Naval Academy at Annapolis, the Franciscan Monastery, the Supreme Court, The Library of Congress, and the Capitol building.

We settled down in our rooms at the Hotel Annapolis, while in Washington, we dined at the Lotus Club, and visited the Lincoln and Jefferson memorials at night. We also visited the Smithsonian Institute, Alexandria, and Mount Vernon. During our free time, some of us went swimming at the Ambassador Hotel, while others went to see "Cinerama Holiday." Later, in the evening, everyone had fun at the Casino Royal.

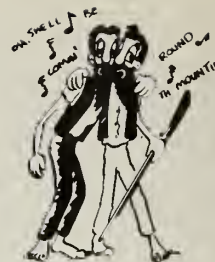
Early Thursday morning, we said goodbye to Cliff, our driver, and boarded the train for New York. We arrived at the Hotel Taft, and within a short time visited Radio City Music Hall, where we saw the Rockettes, and the movie, Picnic. In the evening one group went to see Damn Yankees, and the other group went to Pajama Game. Friday, morning was our free morning, and all of us toured Fifth Avenue, and did a little shopping along the way. At 3:00, we took a tour of Lower New York, and then at five, boarded the train for home. We were a tired but a very happy group, and a group who would always remember the wonderful days of our Class Trip.







## *The Class Prophecy*



Ten years after the 1956 graduation from Norton High School, I decided to take a trip out West, where most of the class had settled.

On stopping at The Golden Gate Bridge, I saw Tom Bryant, the architect, and with him were Bill Shaw and Al Chamillard, his engineers. They were examining the reconstruction of the bridge. They then joined me and, together, we went in search of our other friends. After we had driven a few miles, I turned on my car radio and heard Ron Mendler introduce Midge Hall, the new opera star.

While stopping for a traffic light, we saw Sergeant Roger Boucher of the San Francisco Police. He was giving a ticket to Dave Freeman, the auto magnate, and to Larry Rubin. Larry was the defence council for a man accused of murdering his wife.

The traffic was so thick that I almost rammed the car in front of me. Much to my surprise, it was Donna Hersey, the Ambassadors to Africa, and with her was Warren Marshall, the big game hunter who was known as "Dead-eye."

When we arrived at the "Shush-Ho" Restaurant, we saw Paula Maigret and Cinnie Gay. They were there with their seven children. Paula had four husky boys and Cynthia had three little girls. While we were talking to them, Carol Jackson, a bookkeeper at Noe's Super Market, arrived with her two friends, Arlene and Nancy Leonard. Arlene was a file clerk at Lord and Taylor's in New York City; and Nancy was a secretary to Joan Gefis, the famous women's sports clothes designer.

As we were discussing our former school days, bedlam suddenly broke out near the door. Through the crowd, we could see Dick Farris and George Chamillard. Dick was the first basketball player ever to get ninety baskets in one game; and George was the designer of a new sports car, the Jet X-2. George told us that Frank Fraser, a newly appointed history professor at U.C.L.A., was giving a lecture at the auditorium. All of us decided to go over and hear Frank. Arriving at the auditorium, we found that Marion Mingo was his secretary. We had wondered what had become of her, as she hadn't written to us in a long time.

From Marion, we learned that George Poudrier was in Egypt where he was deciphering hieroglyphics on ancient pyramids; and we learned that Rose Gorman, who was also in Egypt, was most famous for introducing her "Dance of the Nile."

At the auditorium, we saw Sara Thomas, now a nurse, taking care of John Butler who had injured himself. John was a traveling salesman for The Palmolive Company; and, much to his chagrin, he had got a little shaving cream in his eye; hence, he had missed a few of the hotel steps.

On the other side of the auditorium, Dottie Courchine was seated with her husband who was a five-star general. Dotty had recently been named "Homemaker of The Year."

When we were leaving, we met Beve Bilodeau. She was the math professor at the University of Nevada. Beve told us that Nancy Phillips, the movie star, was due in from Rome that afternoon; and that Nancy was announcing her engagement to the Prince of "Nortono" whom she was to marry in October.

Finally, after everyone had gone his own way, and I had bid a fond farewell to this, my favorite class, I, the Spirit of Norton High, returned home again, to keep a watchful eye on my future graduates.

# FAVORITES





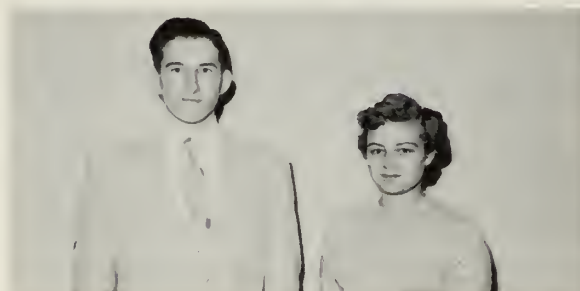
Cutest  
WARREN and CAROL



Shortest  
AL and DOTTIE



Most Capable  
TOM and MIDGE



Most Nonchalant  
DAVID and PAULA



Most Popular  
TOM and NANCY



Best Dancer  
DICK and ROSE



Most Likely to Succeed  
LARRY and DONNA



Best Personality  
ROGER and BEVE



Most Talented  
NOE and SARA  
Most Attractive  
JOHN and NANCY

Best All-Around  
TOM and NANCY



Class Wit  
LARRY and ROSE



Best Company  
NOE and BEVE



Most Conscientious  
GEORGE and SARA



Most Bashful  
WARREN and NANCY  
Tallest  
DAVID and ARLENE



Most Athletic  
DICK and MIDGE



Best Dressed  
ROGER and ROSE



Best Sport  
DAVID and CINNIE



Most Charming  
JOHN and BEVE



# JUNIORS





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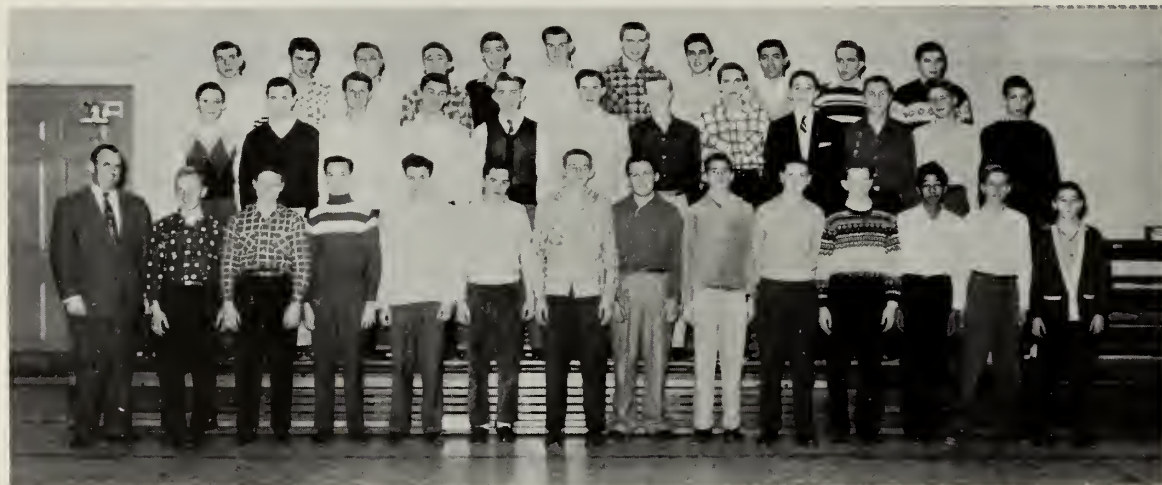
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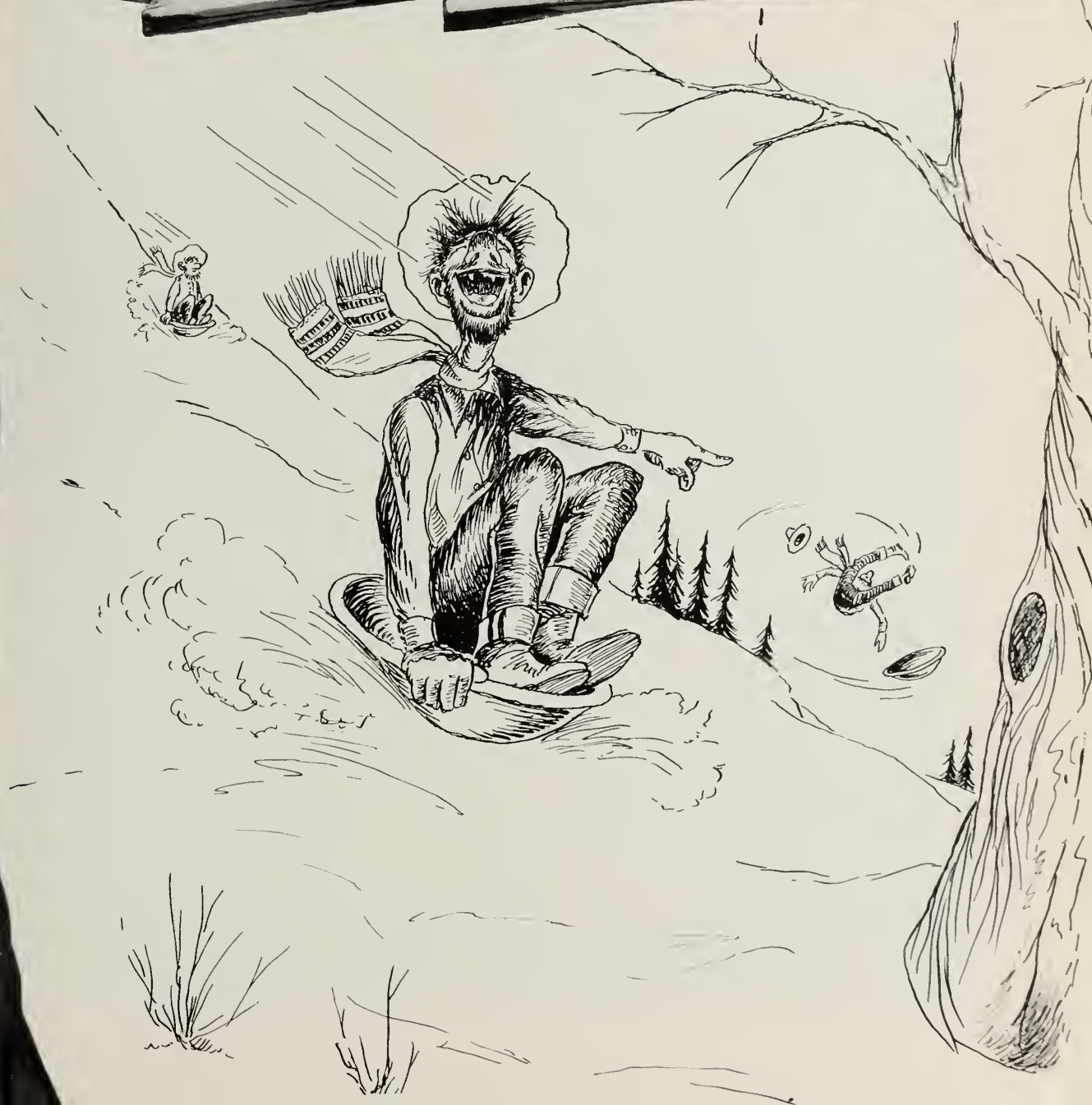
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First row: Coach Burdan; Jim Tierney; Tom Bryant; Dick Farris; Dave Honey.  
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# ACTIVITIES



## *Dedication of the New Norton High School*

Ushers from the Senior Class  
Mr. Henri Yelle Supervisor.



On October 16, 1955 the dedication of the new high school was held. The public was invited, and ushers were on hand to guide them through the building. At the right Mr. Fernandes presents the key to Mr. Nourse, who accepts it for the school. Representative Joseph Martin was the guest speaker.

Speaker Marjorie Hall,  
President of the Senior  
Class.



## *Junior-Senior Prom*

NANCY PHILLIPS



Crowned Queen



## *Get Acquainted Dance*



# *Christmas Dance*



# *Christmas Pageant*



I am Bunny Beaver!



Any of you ladies want a shave?



Up with your mits, everybody!



The cast



## "The Eager

Main Characters:

Gazella Upshaw - - - -

Doreen Upshaw - - - -

Harland Upshaw - - - -

Bunny Beaver - - - - -

Directed by - - - - -

"The Eager Miss Beaver" was presented on November 18, 1955 by the Senior Class. It was a riproarious farce in three acts, and told the story of Miss Bunny Beaver who came to visit



## *Miss Beaver''*

----- Midge Hall  
----- -Peggy Porter  
----- -George Poudrier  
----- -Cindy Gay

----- -Mrs. Jean Briggs

her cousins, the Upshaws.  
How she solves the mysteri-  
ous goings-on and rearranges  
everybody's lives, forms  
the rib-cracking climax of  
this hilarious laugh-show!



Well, look what we have here!



Good luck!



Dear Niece . . . . .

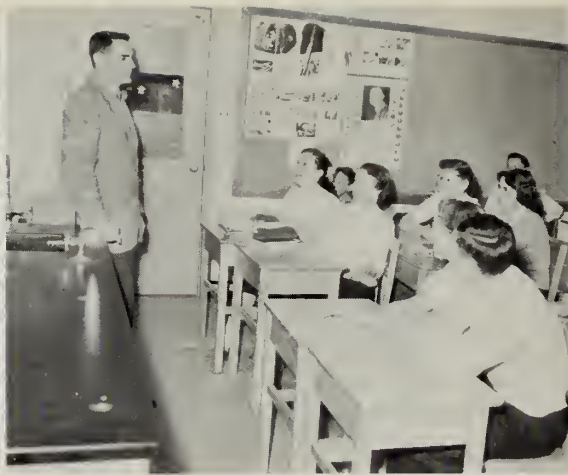


Thank you, Mrs. Briggs.





Busy Fingers



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Veni, Vedi, Vici



Future Homemakers



Little Shavers



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